

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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February 12, 2016

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Mr. Jerry Lovato Albuquerque Metropolitan Arroyo Flood Control Authority 2600 Prospect Avenue NE Albuquerque, NM 87107

Ref: Coverage under Middle Rio Grande (MRG) Watershed Based Municipal Sewer Separate Storm Sewer System General Permit (NPDES No. NMR04A000)

Permit Tracking Number: NMR04A016

Dear Mr. Lovato:

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed your Notice of Intent (NOI) submittal and found it to be technically complete and has provided an opportunity for the public to review your NOI and other related documents prior to permit authorization becoming effective. No comments were received from the public during the public comment period. Authorization under this permit and duty to comply is effective as of the date of this letter.

Please contact Nelly Smith via email at <u>Smith.Nelly@epa.gov</u> or phone at (214) 665-7109 if you have questions or concerns regarding your coverage or the requirements included in the MRG MS4 General Permit.

Sincerely,

William K. Honker, P.E.

Director

Water Division

cc: Bruce Yurdin, Manager, Point Source Regulation Section, NMED Sarah Holcomb, Industrial and Stormwater Team Supervisor, NMED